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**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ACCOUNT FOR FEE ASSOCIATED**  
**WITH 37 CFR 1.16 (e)**

In the Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, which was mailed on 08/16/2001, enclosed please find the properly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (Original Application-Sole Inventor No Priority Claimed). Please charge Deposit Account Number 03-1723 in the amount of \$ 65.00 required by 37 CFR 1.16 (e). A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

If there any questions, please call the undersigned.

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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